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Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment

October 12, 2012

Matt Francis Environmental Restoration Fax (636) 680-2556

Re: Variance Request - Eaton Sugar Beat Factory (Work Area 3A), CO Section III.W.

Dear Mr. Francis:

The variance request for Eaton Sugar Beat Factory (Work Area 3A), CO Section III.W., has been **APPROVED** based on your re-submitted information.

- Please provide CDPHE with the results of your Air Monitoring data for each day. Please e-mail cdphe.asbestos@state.co.us as soon as you have the laboratory data available.

If you have any questions or comments, please feel free to contact me at (303) 691-4959.

Sincerely,

Robert Szynskie

Air Pollution Control Division Asbestos/Indoor Air Quality Unit

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Regulation No. 8, Part B Variance Request Form

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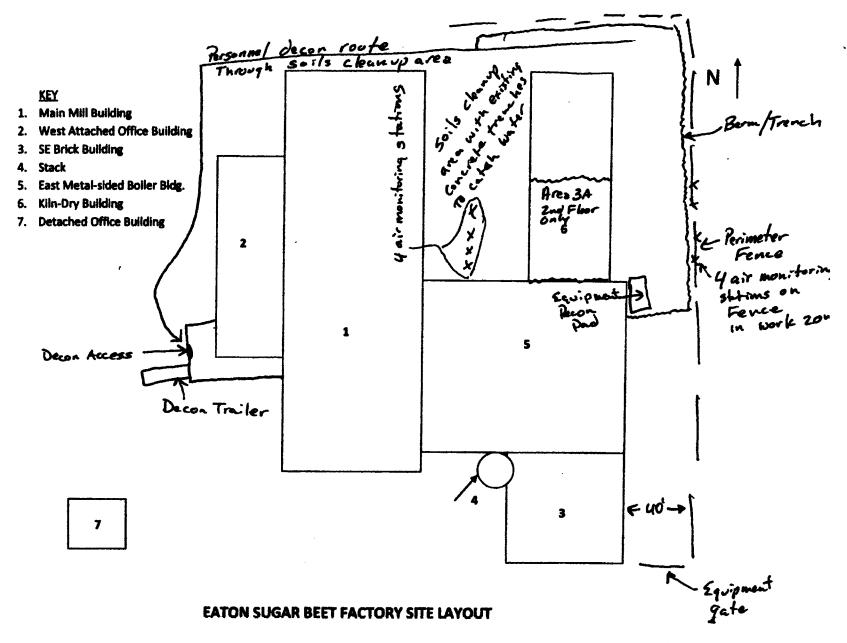
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Date: April 23, 2012

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From: Andy Paddock, P.E., URS Structural Engineer

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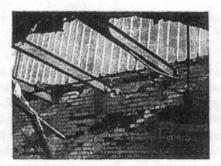


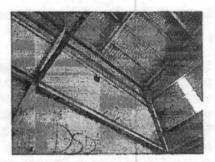


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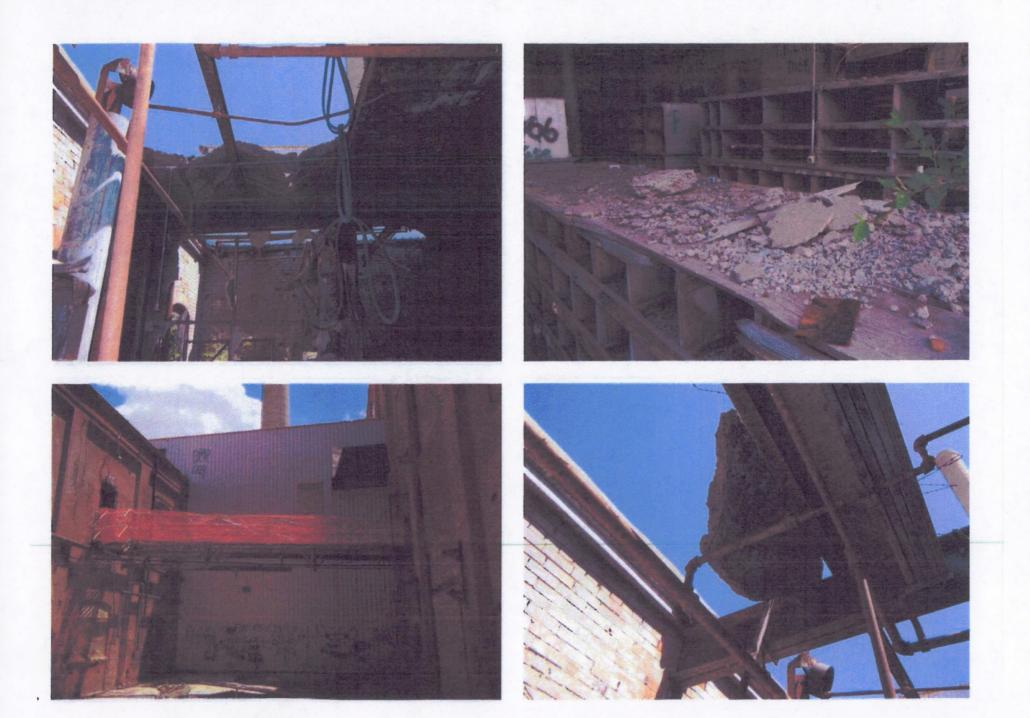


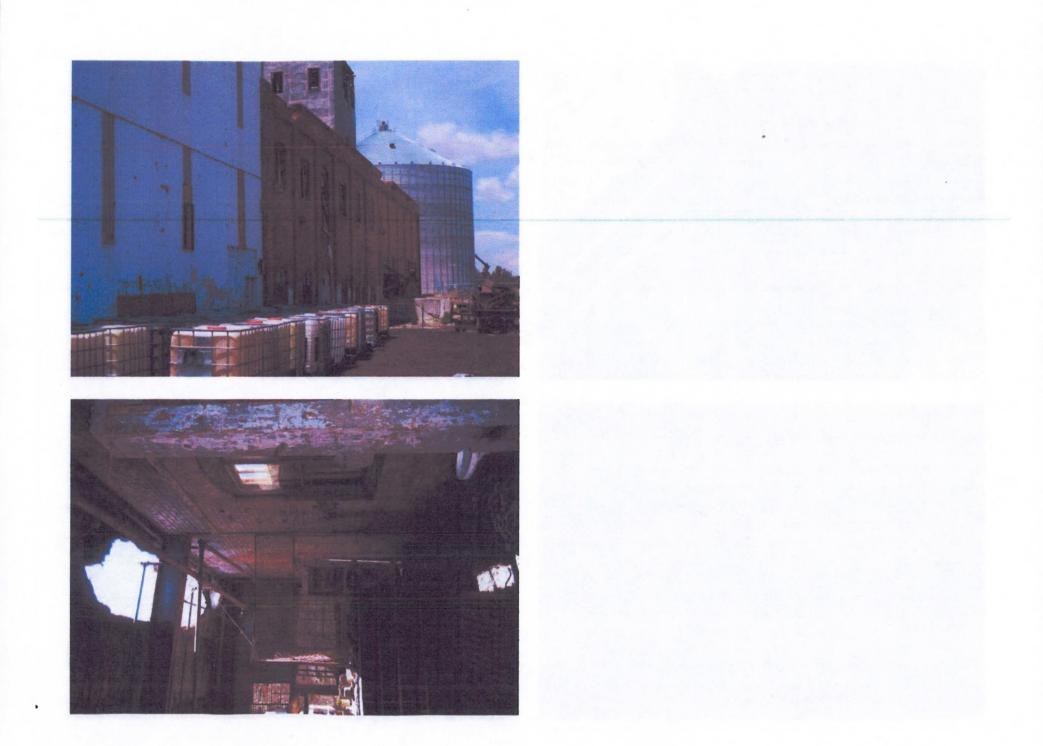


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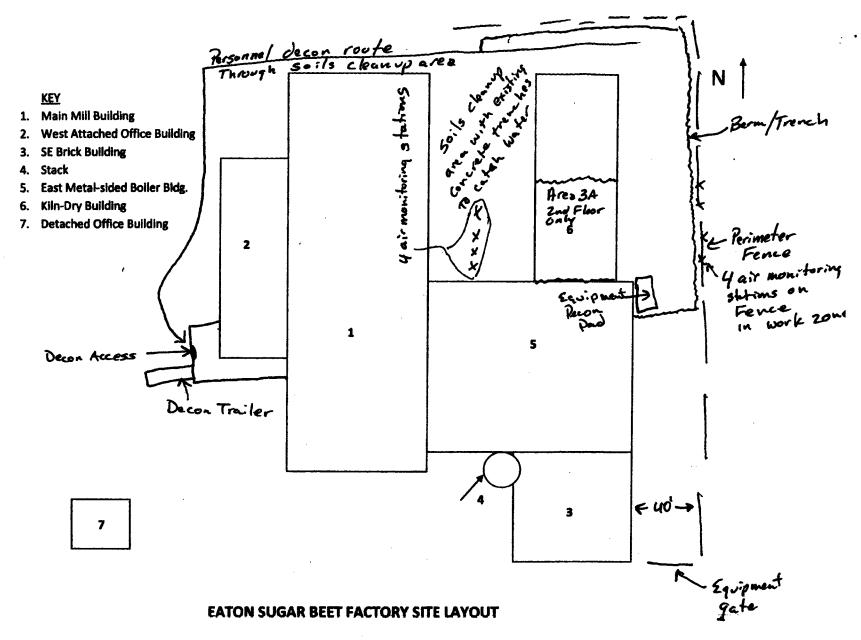
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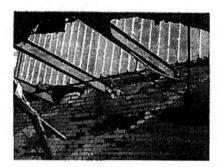




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- The wetting procedure described in the plan lacks detail and needs to be revised to include a description of: the use of amended water; the water supply that will be used at the site; what devices are going to be used to create the water "umbrella" (misters, fire hoses..?) and how water will be collected inside and outside the work area.
- The submitted plan states that Environmental Restoration <u>may</u> use erosion controls during the course of abatement. Erosion controls are required (not optional). In addition, all straw berms would need to be covered with poly and disposed of asbestos-containing waste.
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These above listed items are not all inclusive, but an example of the deficiencies in your work plan. If you have any questions or comments, please feel free to contact me at (303) 692-3184.

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Installation of silt fence around demolition zone to control run off to adjacent areas Construct temporary berms if necessary to control run off / run on Straw bales or silt sacks placed around intake of storm sewers or ditch lines

Contaminated runoff that escapes the controls will be collected, and filtered through 5 micron cartridges prior to discharge into the local sanitary sewer. Soil underlying escaped contaminated runoff will be excavated and managed as other site soils identified for removal (see Soil Management Plan). If water migrates into Area 3 (below), Area 2 (connected South) or Area 10 (connected North) the impacted parts of those areas will be recleaned and cleared by AMS or removed as part of the demolition.

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From: Andy Paddock, P.E., URS Structural Engineer

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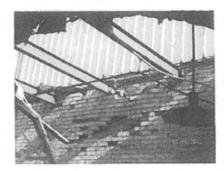
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May 29, 2012

Matt Francis Environmental Restoration Fax (636) 680-2556

Re: Variance Request - Eaton Sugar Beat Factory Work Area 3: Section III.W.

Dear Mr. Francis,

The variance request for Eaton Sugar Beat Factory Work Area 3: Section III.W., has been **DENIED** based on your submittal, due to the following:

- The proposed plan and documents do not describe why a critical barrier cannot be established on the ceiling of the building.
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- What type and amount of asbestos-containing material is going to be left behind?

What is the size of the area being abated?

These above listed items are not all inclusive, but an example of the deficiencies in your work plan. If you have any questions or comments, please feel free to contact me at (303) 692-3184.

Sincerely,

Alexander D. Scherer

Asbestos/Indoor Air Quality Unit

Indoor Environment Program

Air Pollution Control Division

Phone: (303) 692-3184 Fax: (303) 782-0278

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Area 3A Variance Request Matt Francis

to:

Adams, Jeff W. 05/09/2012 02:58 PM

Cc:

Peter Stevenson, Luke Wisniewski, "Ervin, Jeremiah"

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2 Attachments





Area 3A Variance Request.pdf Eaton SBF Structutral Memo 2 4-23-12.pdf

Jeff

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Thanks

Matt

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Please submit a \$50 review fee for each Variance Request Form submitted. The fee must accompany the Variance Request Form at the time of submission. The fee will not be refunded if the variance request is denied or withdrawn.

| Name of Facility: Eaton Sugar Beet Factory (ESBF) Work Area 3A | Facility Location: | | Eaton CO | |
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From: Andy Paddock, P.E., URS Structural Engineer

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FW: Area 3A Variance Request

Matt Francis

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From: Matt Francis <m.francis@erllc.com>

To: Peter Stevenson/R8/USEPA/US@EPA

From: Adams, Jeff W. [mailto:Jeff.Adams@dphe.state.co.us]

Sent: Friday, May 11, 2012 8:48 AM

To: Matt Francis

Subject: RE: Area 3A Variance Request

Dear Matt:

Printed – And just a reminder, please don't move forward with the work until the variance is approved.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any further questions or comments.

Sincerely, Jeff Adams

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To: Peter Stevenson/R8/USEPA/US@EPA

Cc: Marilyn Smith <m.smith@erllc.com>, Luke Wisniewski <l.wisniewski@erllc.com>

Pete

URS provided their structural engineer (Andy) to look at the building today. He was concerned about the floors throughout the main building. He has some recommendations he will make to allow for personnel, scaffolding and the light 1-man non-motorized lift to be used. However, I expect he will not endorse using the motorized pallet jack (weight 3100lbs unloaded) to be used at all. After looking at the condition of the floors more closely with him, I completely agree.

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Matt

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I, the undersigned, hereby certify that the information contained in this request is true and understand that deliberately providing false or misleading information may result in the suspension or revocation of my certification in addition to the imposition of civil and/or criminal penalties: 05/09/12 Signature: **Matt Francis** Print Name: Date: CDPH&E use only Reviewed by: JWA, CLB, WTB, RWJ, RCL & LAS Form of Payment & # [Code Date: NO Approved_ Denied Additional Provision(s)? YES (see below)

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URS

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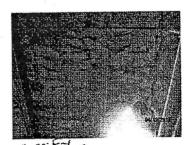
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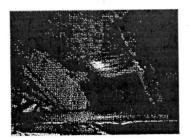
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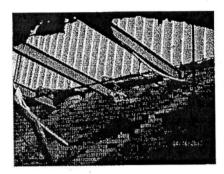
The deterioration observed throughout the floors of the Main Mill Building typically consisted of deteriorated concrete and exposed, corroded steel wire reinforcing. This deterioration is likely due to continued exposure to moisture which corroded the steel and damaged/delaminated the concrete cover on the underside of the slabs. This type of deterioration has an impact on the slabs structural capacity, specifically with regard to resisting punching shear from large point loads applied over a small area. Evidence of this can be seen in the photographs below and is the main reason it is not recommended to use the electric pallet jack on these floors.

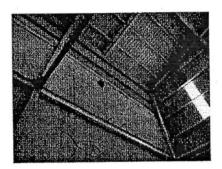




Do not use pallet jack on floors with exposed reinforcing. Floor areas with exposed wire reinforcing, or those suspected of having corroded reinforcing, should be accessed with caution and if concentrated point loads in excess of foot traffic are expected, supplemental measure should be taken. These measures need to provide some level of "redundancy" or "support" to keep something from creating or falling through a hole in the concrete slabs and could consist of sheets of plywood or expanded wire mesh panels spanning over the steel support beams below.

Zone 3a of the Kilm Building, adjacent to Zone 2 of the East Metal-Sided Boiler Building, was observed due to concern about the roof structure and its supporting masonry wall. The wall in question is at the south end of Zone 3a, and abuts the metal building framing of Zone 2. As shown in the photograph below, this load bearing wall is supporting the steel beams which support the concrete roof deck.





Zone 3a is very unstable and should be considered structurally unsound. Implementation of abatement work may endanger personnel who will be removing asbestos from the facility. Additional load and vibrations on or near this wall may result in collapse of the wall which is already partially collapsed and leaning into Zone 2. Temporary shoring should be located under each steel roof beam, and continued below the floor to the slab on grade in Zone 3 below, before any work is done in this area. Care should be taken when working in this area to ensure that personnel are in Zones 2 and Zone 3 are not injured should the wall collapses and drop bricks below.

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Structurally Unsound Building Variance Request Checklist

| Requi | red Notifications |
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| | Need to apply for an Abatement Permit with appropriate fee. |
| | Need to apply for a Demolition Notice with the proper fee. |
| | Need to apply for a Variance with a \$50 fee. |
| Introd | luction |
| ■ Pleas | se describe the type of structure, its location, and the intent of work operation. Please include |
| | formation that will be helpful in understanding the overall project including but not limited to |
| | of the structure, what caused the structure to require the variance, the types of material, any |
| | nding structures that may be affected and any pictures that would be of help determining the |
| accept | ance of the variance. ■ Please include a diagram and pictures of the site. |
| Site P | reparation and Personnel |
| | Regulated Area - Describe the regulated area including the location of the signage, fencing and |
| | poly, warning tape, any blockages such as streets or sidewalks. |
| | Training - Need to have all persons within the regulated area trained and certified, including the |
| _ | equipment operators. |
| | Entry and Exit to the site – Describe the procedures to enter and exit the regulated area |
| | including but not limited to, use of a decon unit or alternate procedures and how entry and exit |
| | will be monitored. Decontamination — ■ Describe the decontamination practices, use, and how the workers will |
| | decon the clothing and tools. Describe how the decon of large equipment will be done. |
| | Protective Equipment - Describe the protective equipment used by the workers. (No street |
| ш | clothes under protective suites) |
| П | Berm –Describe the construction, use, deconstruction and daily inspection of the berm. |
| | Critical Barriers - ■ Describe the location and use of any critical barriers used, including |
| | adjacent structures. Describe the protections that will be used for structures adjacent to the |
| | demo area. |
| | Utilities – describe the site utility shut offs and any lock-out/tag-out methods used. |
| Trans | portation |
| | Trucks/Dumpsters – Describe who will inspect the trucks/dumpsters after loading and sealing |
| | with poly. |
| | ■ Describe the procedures if ACM is found on the exterior of the trucks/dumpsters. |
| | ■ Describe the procedure if a breach occurs in the waste disposal container(s) in the |
| | trucks/dumpsters. Trucks/dumpsters shall be equipped with a leak-proof waste container that |
| | will not rupture during loading, transporting or the act to deposition at the landfill. It is |
| | recommended that a layer of polyethylene line the bottom of the truck/dumpster to assist in |
| \Box | sliding the waste container out of the truck/dumpster. ■ Describe the construction and use of a loading pad for the trucks/dumpsters. |
| H | ■ Landfill - Describe the unloading procedures at the landfill. |
| H | ■ Describe the contingency plan for spills during loading and unloading. |
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| | oval of Contaminated Debris |
| | Describe the entire demo process and the equipment used to accomplish the demo including |
| | how the truck will be loaded. Describe the equipment that will remain inside the fenced area until decontamination is complete. |
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| | Wetting - Describe the wetting of the debris field. Describe the use of wetting where the demo equipment is contacting the debris (such as where a bucket of a back hoe/ track hoe contacts the material) Describe the construction and use of a wetting bar, if used. Describe the procedures for the discovery of friable material if found. |
| Work | Practice Changes Describe the procedures for a change in work practices such as changes to the work when the MAAL has been exceeded. |
| Dispo | sal Describe the disposal methods including how the waste will be packaged. |
| Wind | Include the stop work procedures when a sustained wind exceeding 12 mph is encountered. Describe procedures when wind gusts exceed 20 mph. Language should read something like this: • Wind Speed Shutdown and Resume Conditions - All wind speed measurements shall be taken outside any windscreens in locations in close proximity to, and representative of, the work area in which the material is being handled. • Shutdown conditions- removal/disturbance operations shall immediately and temporarily cease when one or more of the following 4 conditions have been met: • any wind gust reaching or exceeding 20 miles per hour as determined by hand-held instruments; • sustained wind speeds reaching or exceeding 12 mph averaged over a period of 10 minutes; • winds are producing visible emissions or creating movement of dust or debris in or near the removal/disturbance area, or • winds are impacting on the ability of engineering controls to work as designed. • During wind-related work shutdowns, other work activities not involving removal or disturbance (e.g., lining dumpsters) may continue. • After a Wind Shut Down: Resume Conditions - Disturbance activities may resume after all of the following 4 conditions have been met: • all wind gust readings for a period of 20 minutes drop below 20 miles per hour as determined by hand-held instruments; • sustained wind speeds are below 12 mph averaged over a period of 20 minutes; • winds are no longer producing visible emissions or creating movement of dust in or around the removal/disturbance area, and • winds are not impacting on the ability of engineering controls to work as designed. |
| Air Mo | Describe in detail: the air monitoring to be used, the approximate locations on site (point of |
| | operations and/or perimeter), the number of air samples to be collected, a description of the analytical method(s) (PCM/TEM) and how the results will be interpreted. Describe the contingency plan when the air sampling detects an asbestos fiber release. How |
| | and when will CDPHE be notified of detectable asbestos fiber releases? Describe in detail any clearance sampling procedures, if applicable. Describe in detail the final visual clearance procedures used by the AMS/Inspector. |